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To,

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Dear Mr. Ashcroft,

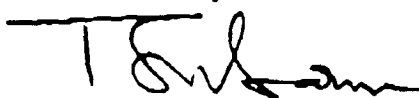
Please permit me to express my opinion of the settlement that was finally reached in the antitrust case against Microsoft. It is my opinion that this settlement is fair and should be accepted by the all parties involved in this case.

The settlement disciplines and restrains Microsoft adequately such that it will not have a monopoly on the Technology and yet leaves it free to continue with its excellent and monumental work. I am among those who felt pleased that Microsoft agreed to design all future versions of Windows to be compatible with the products of its competitors and desist from retaliatory tactics. We should also note that the settlement would also be ensured by a technical oversight committee that will monitor Microsoft's business practices in future to be sure that they comply with the settlement.

I am writing this letter to request you to support this settlement and ensure that the future of American business in general and IT Industry in particular is not stifled and side tracked.

Thank You,

Sincerely,



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